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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN JOSE DIVISION

IN RE: HIGH-TECH EMPLOYEE
ANTITRUST LITIGATION

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

All Actions

Master Docket No. 11-CV-2509-LHK

**PLAINTIFFS' ADMINISTRATIVE
MOTION TO SEAL MOTION TO
COMPEL**

Judge: Honorable Lucy H. Koh

1 Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 7-11 and 79-5(d), Plaintiffs respectfully request that this
2 Court authorize the filing under seal of the following documents in their entirety:

3 1. Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel; and

4 2. Declaration of Kelly M. Dermody In Support of Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel.

5 Rule 26(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure provides discretion for a trial court to
6 permit sealing of court documents. Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(c)(1). In the context of a non-dispositive
7 motion, the Ninth Circuit allows an exception to the presumption of access to judicial records for
8 "good cause." *Pintos v. Pacific Creditors Assoc.*, 565 F.3d 1106, 1115 (9th Cir. 2009) ("In light of
9 the weaker public interest in nondispositive materials, we apply the 'good cause' standard when
10 parties wish to keep them under seal."); cf. *Kamakana v. City & Cnty. of Honolulu*, 447 F.3d 1172,
11 1179 (9th Cir. 2006). Under Rule 26(c)(1), "The court may, for good cause, issue an order to protect
12 a party or person from annoyance, embarrassment, oppression, or undue burden or expense."

13 While Plaintiffs disagree with Defendants that Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel should be
14 filed under seal, Plaintiffs submit this motion to seal to comply with the Court's March 27, 2014
15 Case Management Order requiring Plaintiffs to file their Motion to Compel under seal (Dkt. 768).

1 Dated: April 9, 2014

Respectfully Submitted,

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